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ACTION EB-08

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R 091712Z MAY 78
FM AMEMBASSY BONN
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8363
INFO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW
AMCONSUL FRANKFURT
AMCONSUL DUSSELDORF

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ESTC, GW
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR EX POST FACTO ISSUANCE OF
EXPORT PERMIT

REF: BONN A-127 (NOTAL)

1. THE DEPARTMENT'S ATTENTION IS INVITED TO AN EXPORT
CONTROL CASE WHICH WAS TRANSMITTED TO WASHINGTON BY
BONN A-127 OF MAY 8, 1978. THE SUBSTANCE OF THE CASE
IS AS FOLLOWS:

2. ON APRIL 28, 1978, THE EMBASSY RECEIVED FROM THE
GERMAN FIRM MFL PRUEF-UND MESSYSTEME GMBH OF MANNHEIM A
REQUEST FOR EX POST FACTO ISSUANCE OF A PERMIT TO
EXPORT DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT PDP 11/04 TO THE
SOVIET UNION. THE EQUIPMENT IN QUESTION IS PART OF A
TENSION TESTING DEVICE WHICH WAS EXHIBITED AND
SHOWN IN OPERATION BY MFL AT THE TESTEXPO IN MOSCOW
FROM NOVEMBER 16 TO 24, 1978. IT WAS SOLD TO THE
FIRM MASHPRIBORINTORG, MOSCOW, AFTER CONCLUSION OF THE
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FAIR AND IS NOW IN OPERATION AT THE ONIITMASH
INSTITUTE IN MOSCOW. SUPPLIER OF THE EQUIPMENT WAS
THE FIRM PEEKEL INSTRUMENTS GMBH OF ESSEN, GERMANY.

3. MFL STATED TO US THAT THE SALE CAME TO THEM AS A
SURPRISE AND ASKED THAT THEIR "OVERSIGHT" FOR NOT
REQUESTING AN EXPORT PERMIT IN TIME BE EXCUSED.

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Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 jan 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
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Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 09 may 1978
Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
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